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TELEPHONE MAN HAS CLAIM FOR DAMAGES AGAINST CITY

Petition for Light and Roadway in Inglewood Subdivision. Underwriters Raise Rate of Insurance at Power House. Drummheller Account Being Settled. Taxes to be Collected by Process of Law, if necessary.

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening with all members in attendance except Ald. Chandler.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

A letter was read from the Workmen's Compensation Board, informing council that the board had awarded a monthly payment of \$33.28 to Mr. Williams. This was left on the table for consideration at the next meeting.

A petition from residents living in Inglewood subdivision was presented, asking that two street lights be placed in that district, also that Railway street east be extended northward.

The matter of lights was referred to the light and power committee to report at next meeting, and the request for extension of street was referred to the public works committee.

The Western Canada Underwriters association informed council that a charge of ten cents a car would be made for storing cars in power house. Increasing the premium \$32.50. It was agreed that car be kept at power house.

Loggie & Manley wrote report of wages to their client, Robt. McPherson, amounting to \$47.50, in lieu of holidays. Loggie & Manley will be informed that Ald. Brown did not confirm the alleged arrangement, and council will not alter its view from previous letter.

Alex. Knox wrote re payment of account. The matter will be attended to upon the return of the city solicitor.

Parlee, Freeman, McKay & Howson of Edmonton, wrote informing the council that Mr. McKinnon, telephone man, had a claim against the city of Wetaskiwin for damages sustained near court house while testing wires, by coming in contact with an electric light wire, receiving a shock. It is claimed the light wire is not a sufficient distance from the telephone wires. The matter was referred to the light and power committee for investigation and report.

Loggie & Manley wrote respecting Mr. Madill purchasing a small portion of land adjoining his property. The letter was filed.

Communications respecting the overhauling and repairing of meters were filed.

Mayor Montgomery reported on the progress made on the settlement of account of Sam Drummheller. It was agreed to accept \$200.00 for damages and an effort will now be made to settle the pipe.

H. Thornland wrote that as he had no stock or business he was not liable for taxes. The matter was referred to the finance committee to report at next meeting.

The following accounts were passed for payment: General, \$42.60; Electric light, \$48.65; Waterworks, \$4.21; Construction, \$114.40; Supplementary, \$135.25.

The light and water committee reported on several matters referred to it. A collection will be made at J. H. Schreier's, at a cost of about \$25.00.

The finance committee reported on several small matters, which was adopted.

Old accounts for years 1919 and 1920 amounting to \$477.60, were written off the books.

Council received letter into a claim of Revision and seventeen names were added to the voters' list.

Miss Rupert requested leave of absence for one month, which was referred to the finance committee to make arrangements if possible.

The power plant and gas wells committee was instructed to have reservoirs at power house repaired.

The public properties committee was authorized to advertise some of the city's residences and other property in the Times.

Mayor Montgomery submitted a list of property which city will acquire unless taxes are paid prior to January, 1924. An effort will be made to make

Crime Greatly Reduced In Saskatchewan Since Gov't Control Abandoned

Saskatoon, Aug. 27.—With indications of a liquor referendum approaching in Saskatchewan, the prohibition committee of the Social Service Council Saturday issued a strongly worded manifesto, declaring that, as compared to the period when government liquor stores were operated in this province, general crime had been reduced approximately to one-half, drunkenness to one-fifth, and vagrancy to one-ninth.

The manifesto urges more vigorous enforcement of the Saskatchewan Temperance Act, the use of all dominion, provincial and municipal police units in prosecution of the inland revenue act offenders, and more vigorous action on the part of the federal government in eradication of illicit liquor manufacture in the province.

The normal operation of the prohibition law here, the manifesto adds, has so far been impeded by conditions which have passed or are passing, namely a legal right to import or hold for export, the sheltering of stocks of liquor in private residences for trading purposes and the operation of a brewery in Saskatchewan. In addition, it is stated, offenders have been encouraged in their lawlessness by vigorous propaganda and misrepresentation of facts.

The council announces its intention to hold a representative provincial convention this fall to stimulate further interest and to plan further dry action.

MONDAY A HOLIDAY

Monday next is Labor Day, and will be generally observed as a holiday throughout the Dominion. All places of business in Wetaskiwin will be closed.

WEDDINGS

KING — SOMMERS

The marriage of Ella Margaret, the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sommers, to Fred King, was solemnized on August 15, at 4 p.m. in the Baptist church, Rev. Ganser officiating.

The bride was very becomingly attired in a gown of white chambrase satin with pearls and radium lace, wearing a bridal veil and wreath of orange blossoms, and carrying a shower bouquet of carnations and ferns. Miss Annie Krause acted as maid of honor and was attired in a pink satin gown, and also carried a bouquet of carnations and ferns. Arthur Sommers, the bride's brother, supported the bride, while Mrs. O. Schuman of Calgary, was matron of honor.

After the nuptial supper was served at the bride's home, the evening was spent in music and singing, while Mr. Stewart Campbell rendered the much favored "Swiss Reims and Revals." The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. King will make their home near Leduc, where Mr. King is engaged in farming.

CHAS. D. CLINE CONFESSES HE SHOT H. B. WILKINSON; NOW FACES MURDER CHARGE

Under arrest for shooting a neighbor who called at his home at Buck Lake, west of Wetaskiwin, last Monday, Charles D. Cline, Friday night appeared before the court and confessed to the shooting of H. B. Wilkinson. He had signed after his arrest admitting that he had fired two shots at Hal B. Wilkinson was true in every respect. In the document presented to the court by Inspector Fisher of the A.P.P. at Red Deer, Cline stated that following an argument with Wilkinson, the latter had called him insulting names and had threatened to beat him to death. With that Cline grabbed his gun and shot twice at a distance of 12 and 15 feet respectively. Hal had put his hand in his pocket when he called him those names but he didn't see that he had any gun. Later Cline, who is a cripple, had hobbled over to a neighbor's to send for help at Wilkinson's request.

Besides the statement submitted, the double barrelled shot gun which Cline says he used was entered as an exhibit. Sergeant W. Bradbury, of the A.P.P. at Wetaskiwin, gave evidence as to the arrest, documents and exhibits. Inspector Fisher told of the call from Constable Marks stationed at Yeoford and how he had accompanied him and Cline to Wetaskiwin, where an arrest was formally made and a sworn statement taken.

District Judge K. S. Brightly, stationed at Buck Lake, told of the call to the Anderson farm last Monday. There she found Wilkinson alone in bed with a tourniquet on his right arm which was badly shot. The man also had other wounds but was in a fair condition and with the assistance of neighbors he was the next morning removed to her post and the following day to Wetaskiwin and put on the train for Edmonton.

At the hospital here Wednesday night upon examination, it was found necessary to amputate the arm. Wilkinson said then that the wounds were the results of two shots fired by Cline, the first from a distance of ten feet, the second from forty feet away.

MORE GAS FOUND AT MUTUAL WELL

The drillers at the Mutual Oil and Gas Development Co. well, made very good progress during the past week. On Monday they encountered a strong pressure of gas which blew dirt, rock and oil water into the air many feet.

CORRECTION

R. C. Young informs us that we made a slight mistake in our issue of last week, when we reported that the rainfall at Hillsdale for the months of May, June and July was 14.11-12 of an inch. This should have been 14.17-22.

POOL TRUSTEES TO CONFER WITH GRAIN DEALERS

Low Hutchinson, of the provisional board of seven trustees of the Alberta wheat pool, will confer with the board of grain commissioners Thursday at Winnipeg regarding tariff and country elevator regulations. H. W. Wood, president of the U.F.A., and chairman of the provisional board, accompanied by Attorney General J. E. Brownlee, will join Mr. Hutchinson at Winnipeg Saturday, when the three representatives will meet the Northwest Grain Dealers' association in a conference on the country elevator question. Representatives of the Saskatchewan pool will also join the meeting.

Announcement of these meetings were made at Calgary last night following a board by W. J. Jackson, secretary of the wheat pool. Mr. Hutchinson left for Winnipeg immediately, and Mr. Wood and Mr. Brownlee will leave tonight, following the meeting this afternoon of the southern members of the legislature here.

Following is a copy of the statement issued by Mr. Jackson:

"The board of trustees of the Alberta Cooperative Wheat Producers' Limited, held an all day session today and discussed many of the important details of the work of organization."

"In view of the increasingly heavy stream of contracts which our mail has been bringing in, confidence now is felt that a few days will see the achievement of the objective of 50 per cent of the last year's wheat acreage signed up to the pool. Consequently very close attention is now being given to the study of the necessary details of organization."

Low Hutchinson was delegated to attend a session of the board of grain commissioners in Winnipeg on Thursday morning, when the tariff and regulations respecting country elevators will be up for revision.

"H. W. Wood will join Mr. Hutchinson at Winnipeg on Saturday for an informal conference with the elevator owners, in conjunction with members of the board of directors of the Saskatchewan pool. J. E. Brownlee, at the request of the board, will accompany J. R. Murray, assistant general manager of the United Grain Growers being in the city, upon the invitation of the board, was present for a time during the afternoon session, and his opinion was obtained on certain questions regarding handling facilities."

Members of the Alberta legislature last week will be discussed. It is expected that following today's meeting every corner of the southern half of the province previously not touched by the canvassers will be covered.

1,500,000 Mark Passed

Yesterday saw the million and a half mark passed for wheat acreage signed to the wheat pool. According to the official records, nearly two-thirds, or 69.11 per cent of the need to 50 per cent of the total wheat acreage has been received and recorded now. Three thousand, four hundred and ten contracts, representing 333,850 acres of wheat, were received. The total number of contracts received now is 16,425 and the total acreage, 1,704,331.

The average acreage to the contract now is 102.75 acres. Encouraging reports continue to come from all sections of the wheat pool into the local offices of the province, the officials state. Many of the districts state

BLOCKHOUSE ON LUCAS FARM DEDICATED LAST WEDNESDAY

Historical Society of Edmonton Marks Historic Spot. Flag Presented to Mr. Lucas by 65th Regiment of Montreal. Incidents of 1885 Rebellion Recalled by Speakers. Guests entertained to Lunch on Lawn.

Wednesday, August 22, 1923, will long be remembered by Frank Lucas and his family, as it was the date when the Historical Society of Edmonton dedicated the blockhouse on his farm, and he was presented with a flag which will float over the historic building on anniversaries and holidays.

The gathering was presided over by Hon. Dr. Rutherford, president of the Historical Society, and in his address he referred to both the Rebellions and especially to the work of the distinguished 65th Battalion of Montreal, part of which was stationed at the fort on the Lucas farm during the uprising in 1885. The Dr. concluded an interesting historical address by stating that the Union Jack stood for justice and honor the world over, and the Society had pleasure in presenting Mr. Lucas with a replica of the flag made by the boys who occupied the fort in '85, and which was hoisted and floated over the building during its occupancy by the old 65th Battalion.

Mayor Montgomery of Wetaskiwin, was then called upon, and he referred to the fact that the gathering was making history in the province. He recalled how the recently deceased Chief Ermineskin had remained loyal when Birtall and his men joined the rebellion, and paid a dear tribute to the old Indian chief, who, up until his death was a well known figure in this part of the province.

Just as the rebellion was over several of the Birtalls made their escape across the line and eleven years later they were brought back by a party of N.W.M.P., led by Eph. Girling, of the Wetaskiwin district. He then referred to the historical name Wetaskiwin, and cited the legend from which the name is derived. He concluded by hoping that Mr. Lucas would keep the building in good repair, so that tourists passing through from the U.S. and other points would recall having seen the bastion in one of the best farming communities in their travels, and we would thus receive a lot of good advertising by having the old landmark so near our city.

A. S. Craig, as reeve, then welcomed the visitors to the Municipal District of Montgomery, and trusted all present would have a good time.

Rev. W. Everard Edmunds, secretary of the society, then explained briefly the objects of the organization in keeping green the memories of the men who had won the country for Britain and in marking historical spots. Mr. Edmunds also expressed the regrets of Lieut. Governor Brett, Hon. Frank Oliver, Dr. McQueen, and D. W. Warner, M.P., at not being able to be present.

Col. P. C. Jamieson then made the presentation of the flag to Mr. Lucas. It was a replica of the original, which was still highly prized by the regiment, explained the colonel, they are far from finished in their campaign. Others expect to continue to canvass for contracts until September 5, the final day. Several requests were received yesterday from districts for more contract blanks, several hundred being mailed.—Alfortan.

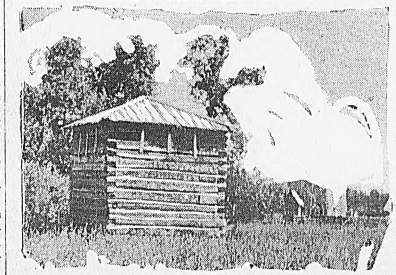
Taking the building along on the site as their centre, the men of the 65th threw up an earthwork and a ditch around the entire mound. Among the fortifications added later was a stout, loop-holed bastion which commanded the Bigstone Creek valley. From the flagstaff on this little blockhouse the flag of the French Canadian regiment was unfurled.

The palisade and the main buildings of the Edmonton visitor, with a number of the neighbors, were entertained to luncheon on Mr. Lucas' spacious lawn, when the old rifle used by Mr. Lucas in 1885 was carefully inspected and commented upon. It is indeed a very interesting weapon.

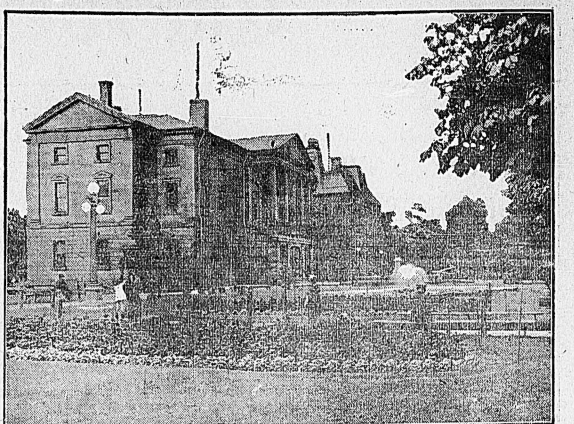
Among the outsiders present were Hon. A. C. Rutherford, J. Blue, John A. McDougall, W. Everard Edmunds, Professor M. H. Long, E. N. Higginbotham, D. S. McKeown, Senator Cole, Kenneth McLeod, Major Thibault, Professor A. L. Burt, A. B. Watt, W. J. Carter, Colonel F. C. Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McDougall, of Edmonton, and Professor Inuit, of Saskatoon.

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Legislative Halls of Prince Edward Island



The Garden Province of Prince Edward Island has for its capital Charlottetown, a city of wide, tree-shaded streets, beautiful parks, splendid public buildings and fine homes. Being situated on the Canadian National Railways and at the junction of three rivers and Hillsborough Bay, it has fine facilities by rail and water for the transportation of the products of its industries. There is about the city a most homelike, attractive appearance. In front of the Legislative Buildings, which are grouped with admirable taste in the park-like heart of the city, there is a large open square, which gives to that portion of the city an old-world atmosphere. Charlottetown was included in the Canadian Weekly Press Association's Itinerary over the Canadian National Railways. The photograph shows the Parliament Buildings with a stretch of the beautiful park in front of them.

men who were chased as exiles in respect thereto. Today there are 566 ranches on the island, 401 of which are in Prince County. The number of foxes on each ranch runs all way from ten to one hundred, and a few instances even higher. The foxes are hunted in well wooded areas, and surrounded with special fencing. In weight the animals range from eight to fifteen pounds, and color from light silver to jet black. For breeding purposes as high as \$20, a pair was obtained in the early days of the industry, while as high as \$28.98 has been secured for a single lot, the highest figure ever paid on a fur market.

Prince Edward Island has an interesting history as well as a present attraction. It was visited as early as 1534 by Jacques Cartier, tentatively claimed by the French in 1662, but its first settlement began when Acadians, after being expelled from Nova Scotia, 1755, found a resting place on its shores. Under the French regime it was known as L'Isle St. Jean, being named by Champlain. This name in English form, was retained under British rule till 1759, when on account

of the number of St. Johns existing in British North America, it was re-christened Prince Edward Island in honor of Edward, Duke of Kent.


Charlottetown

The capital of the island province, Charlottetown, has some historic interest in the fact that it is one of the oldest provincial or state capitals on the continent, dating from 1773. The editors were welcomed in the provincial buildings, on the floor of the house, by the Premier, the Hon. John H. Bell, and by the Hon. P. J. Nash, a silver tongued orator. The party then had an opportunity to visit the Confederation room, and to gaze with reverence on the old tables and chairs where the Fathers of Confederation sat and conceived the idea which culminated in Confederation. In this legislative council chamber is a tablet recording the fact that here met the first Canadian Union Conference in the year 1864. Abegweitans are proud of the fact that their little province was the "Cradle of Confederation".

Charlottetown is a city pleasant to the eye and delightful in climate conditions, and has been aptly described

as one of the "most homelike and attractive little cities to be found anywhere." In the central and chief of its five large public squares are located the principal public buildings of the province. The city is delightfully situated on the east of Hillsborough river with the York river on its south side. In the days of long ago when French sailors entered the harbor of Charlottetown they named it Port à Jole.

(To be continued)



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Let us divide our dollars among our merchants and fellow-citizens who have the interests of the community at heart. Help them and they will help us to greater values—for increased volume means decreased costs.

The city needs our support and we need the support of the town. Let's get together and share our fortunes.

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The Question Of Wheat

The wheat growers of America are facing a very difficult situation. Both the United States and Canada are wheat exporting nations and the present economic situation in Europe has hit them hard by very materially lessening the demand for their wheat. It is not that the people of Europe do not need our wheat, for they do need it badly, but they are unable to pay for it, and with present prospects there is little likelihood of their being able to purchase foreign wheat for some time to come. Under these circumstances the prospect of a good crop has caused the price of wheat to drop to a point at which there is no profit to the grower, and in the United States particularly, and to a lesser degree in Canada, there have been vigorous and reiterated demands that the Government step in and by some means avert the threatened bankruptcy of many of the wheat growers.

A year ago the United States Congress tried to help its wheat growers by keeping out Canadian wheat, but this has hurt the Canadian farmer, without in any great degree helping his United States competitor, and the United States farmer seems to be realizing at last that there is no solution and perhaps the only satisfactory one, would be the economic habilitation of Europe, and this would be hastened by joint action on the part of the United States, Britain and France. Unfortunately, the United States seems unwilling to become mixed up in European affairs, and Europe without her help will be slow in returning to normal conditions. Meanwhile Canada faces the prospect of the largest crop in its history, some placing it at 500,000,000 bushels, and at the same time the price is so low as to alarm the grain growers with visions of a possible bankruptcy. Efforts are being made to stabilize the price of wheat and they may help a little, but the crux of the difficulty lies in the European situation, which unfortunately moves slowly. These are days when the whole world needs to be patient. Better times lie ahead, but we are not yet on solid ground.—Guardian.

An Alberta Bastion

The Historical Society of Edmonton recently conducted a party to a point of distinct importance in the record of this province. Less than 100 yards from the Calgary and Edmonton trail, a few miles north of Wetaskiwin, there still stands a bastion erected by the 65th Regiment of Montreal, 35 years ago. At that time the little community of Edmonton was threatened by Indians, in revolt against the government of Canada. Troops were sent north over the trail from Calgary for the defence of the settlement. To maintain the communications between the two places and to add to the security of the few pioneer settlers in the vicinity, several forts were established along the route. The Wetaskiwin structure is one of these. It remains in an excellent state of preservation, a most interesting link between the present and the past. The contrast between conditions then and now is striking. The conditions of that pioneer time of 35 years ago inspired much comment on the occasion referred to. To look back 35 years creates a feeling of a great space of time in one's mind, but in the life of the country it is a brief span indeed. Yet, in that brief span this country has grown from the most primitive and almost helpless condition to a populous state, equipped with all the appliances of modern communities. When we review the progress of our still recent past we are not justified in feeling pride in achievement and in maintaining confidence and hope for a great future? The Edmonton Historical Society has placed a flag on the Wetaskiwin bastion and a sign on the Calgary-Edmonton trail informing the passers-by about this souvenir of a past day. That is excellent work, which should be copied elsewhere. We in this province should mark and preserve its spots of historic significance before they fade from sight. The day will come when an even greater value will attach to them. There should be a Historical Society in Calgary, which should interest itself in marking and preserving the points of historical value in this part of the province. We should do this work before it is too

late, while there are men still living to give advice concerning events and places that should go into the visible record of the life of this country.—Calgary Herald.

NEEDLESS WORRIES

Metaphs within this world of care,
Where sorrow doth abound;
The burdens that we need not bear,
Oft weigh us up to the ground.
Tomorrow's care, tomorrow's needs,
How shall they all be met?
With foolish, faithless thoughts like these,
How oft we chafe and fret.
The Father's love is still the same,
And still the promise reads,
"Thy strength sufficient for thy day."
Not for tomorrow's needs.
The future lieth dark and dim,
I cannot see the way;
I cannot trace its winding on,
Unto the perfect day.
And hath the Father promised lies,
It shall be sought but dim;
Have ye forgotten Him who said,
One step shall follow Him?
The mysteries of His Providence,
The workings of His Hand;
His dealings with the sons of men,
I cannot understand.
Why seek to read what He has veiled,
Why strain the aching sight?
If He had willed it to be read,
He would have given thee light.
The troubles which perchance may come,
Which in the darkness loom;
How oft they fill the heart with fear,
And cloud the brow with gloom?
Have ye forgotten Him who said,
Or are the words untrue?
"I will be with thee in the floods,
When thou art passing through grief,
When the Father sendeth grief,
He ever sendeth strength;
And He is near, to give relief,
And bring us peace at length.
When we take unbidden cares,
Well may we be dismayed;
For we must bear them all alone,
Without His present aid.
Then take each moment as it comes,
And trust Him for the rest;
Sure whatsoever thy life may be,
The Father knoweth best.
So shall thy days be free from care,
In all things great and small;
For the burdens that we need not bear,
Are the heaviest of them all.

THE FLAGGING OF FORT USTELL

It was on the 22nd of August, when they flagged old Fort Ustell. And stories about the Indians. The speakers there did tell. Yes, stories about the Rebellion, which was many years ago. When the Indians were all savages, And were the white man's foe. From Manitoba to the Rockies, It was one great, vast plain, And there the Indians made their home. Until the white men came. But the Indians fought among themselves. And now a story I'll write, One that Mayor Montgomery told about some Indians in a fight. Peace Hills divided the enemy, So the shooting they had to stop. Each chief went to see where the enemy was. And met upon the top. They decided to wrestle and settle it then. And so it happened to be That these chiefs were very much alike. And which would win it was hard to say. And so they wrestled for a very long time, But neither one could beat. So they went to rest a while, And each of them took a seat. They looked at each other a little while, Then one drew forth his pipe to smoke. But when the other went to get his own, He found that it was broken. One Indian smoked a little while Then felt sorry for the other. So he handed him his pipe and said: "You may smoke my pipe now, brother."

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Freight Rates

The appeal of Alberta and British Columbia, in connection with the differential in freight rates in the mountain territory, which was taken against the decision of the railway commission last year, in which only 50 per cent of the differential was removed, was heard recently by the Dominion cabinet.

The appeal was argued for the provinces of British Columbia and Alberta by G. C. McGeer, K.C., of British Columbia, supported by Frank Ford, K.C., of Edmonton, and A. Chard, freight supervisor for the Alberta government. An attentive hearing was given the appeal, which was very ably presented by counsel. In addition to the request for the removal of all the mountain differential, Alberta supplemented the appeal by a request that the transcontinental rate to and from Eastern Canada and the United States be not higher than those applying from British Columbia to and from the same points, but the defense argued that this question had not been dealt with by the railway commission, and therefore could not properly be before the dominion cabinet. The rates in question are lower to the coast than to Alberta points, defended by the railway companies as being compelled by water competition through the Panama canal and American railway competition.

Case Regarding Power Rights
The railway commission has dismissed the appeal of the Express Traffic Association of Canada for an order approving a form of release for empty cream cans left on station platforms. This appeal was opposed at sittings in Alberta, by A. Chard, for the Alberta Dairyman's Association and the United Farmers.

Applies for Power Rights
The Alberta government took steps this week to obtain prior rights in the Spray Lakes power development scheme, when a telegram was despatched to Ottawa, by the government, applying for a concession covering all the rights involved in the scheme. The action has been taken merely to see that the rights of the people are protected to the fullest extent. Spray Lake is 20 miles southeast of Banff, and has immense power development possibilities.

Visitors to Capital
Visiting parties during the past week included the delegation from the British Empire Forestry convention, headed by Lord Lovat. This party includes some distinguished people from all parts of the Empire, and was given a drive about the City of Edmonton, and a reception by the Premier and cabinet at the government buildings. Other visitors included Wright Patterson, editor in chief of the Western Newspaper Union of the United States controlling 13,000 newspapers; A. C. Miller, editor of the Arkansas Methodist, Mrs. Anna Luskey, a candidate for the State legislature of Oklahoma, and others.

Canada's Dairy Products
Alberta stands third in the list of provinces in the matter of production of creamery butter, according to statistics produced by the Dominion bureau. The following are the figures:
Prov. Cr. Butter Cheese
P. E. Island 1,282,066 1,752,233
Nova Scotia 3,329,426 31,820
New Brunswick 1,223,430 926,052
Quebec 52,259,244 59,679,901
Ontario 51,615,070 92,799,285
Manitoba 10,559,591 102,254
Saskatchewan 8,901,144 12,448
Alberta 16,417,070 921,992
British Columbia 2,916,183 433,288
In 1922, Alberta had an investment in butter and cheese factories of \$2,751,074. The number employed was 572, and the creamery numbered 46. This year there are 59 creameries in

operation.
Alberta Coal in Demand
Reports from Ontario are to the effect that the trial shipments of Alberta coal being made to the province under the special rate of \$7.00 a ton granted by the C.N.R., are in great demand in many centres, and there is a movement to appeal to the federal government to take up the matter of getting an extension of time on the special rate. Howard Stutchbury, trade commissioner of the province, is now in Ontario supervising the distribution of the special shipment of 6,000 tons.

SHOOTING SEASON FOR DUCKS OPENS IN ALBERTA ON SEPT. 15

Changes in the regulations under the Migratory Birds Convention Act, affecting the shooting of migratory game birds in certain provinces have recently been authorized by order in council.
Under the order a further closed season throughout the Dominion has been provided for Wood Duck, extending until January 31, 1924. A similar closed season has been provided for Elder Duck, except that Elder may be shot in the Yukon and Northwest Territories during the regular open season provided for ducks in these localities.
In Manitoba shooting is now prohibited between sunset and sunrise.

Was So Bad With Diarrhoea Thought She'd Die

Mrs. Ernest Morris, 3 Webb St., London, Ont., writes—"I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for what it has done for me.

Some time ago I took an awful violent headache, then I started to vomit and felt so sick with my stomach I could hardly stand it all day; towards evening intense pains came in my bowels and I was just doubled up, the pains were so bad; the perspiration stood out like beads on my forehead; then the diarrhoea started and I really thought I was going to die.

My husband went to the drug store and got a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry; he gave me four doses at intervals, and by noon the next day the diarrhoea had stopped and the pains were all gone too.

Now I will never be without Dr. Fowler's in the house as it was the only thing that relieved me."

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been on the market for the past 75 years, reform substitutes, they may prove dangerous to your health; price 50c; put up only by The T. M. Burns Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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nature's green color
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Produce 25-cent
Quality for

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Wetaskiwin Times

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2 ONLY LADIES' ALL WOOL

SERGE DRESSES

1 dark green and 1 dark brown,
Were \$25.00 each. Saturday

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CLOTH COATS

Saturday, each

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GINGHAM, 32 IN. WIDE

Strong even woven thread, Sat-
urday, 4 yards for

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LADIES' CORSETS

The number is limited, so be ear-
ly on Saturday, per pair only

\$1.00

LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS

A gift on Dollar Day at

\$1.00

SATURDAY, DOLLAR DAY

5 Yards of Scrim for

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GALATEAS

Strong and will wash well. Us-
ually 40c yd. Saturday, 4 yards

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WHITE WASH SKIRTS

Values to \$4.00 each. Saturday,
each,

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Come early for your pick

CRASH TOWELLING

18 inches wide, Saturday, 4 yards

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LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS

Of good quality nainsook, shir-
red yoke and nicely embroidered
On Saturday, only

\$1.00

LADIES' PURE SILK HOSE

Black and dark brown, elastic
rib top, Saturday, per pair

\$1.00

EXTRA GOOD QUALITY LISLE HOSE

Black only, worth 75c pair. Sat-
urday, 3 pairs for

\$1.00

PILLOW SLIPS

Good sized Pillow Slips of good
quality cotton, Saturday, 4 for

\$1.00

MONARCH FLOSS

An ideal wool for Sweaters, etc.
(needs no introduction. Satur-
day, 6 balls for

\$1.00

CHILDRENS WHITE MIDDIES

To fit 6 to 12 years, Saturday,

\$1.00

LADIES' COTTON DRAWERS

Quite an assortment of styles and
qualities. All one price on Sat-
urday, 3 pairs for

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NOVELTY HAND BAGS

Saturday, each

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EXTRA SPECIAL

LADIES' STREET DRESSES

Well Made and Nicely Trimmed.

One to a Customer

On Saturday, only

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The House of
Quality and Service

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Saturday, 5 yards for

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LADIES' VOILE WAISTS

All sizes, values to \$4.00. Satur-
day, only

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TOPS

Saturday, each

\$1.00

FLANNELETTES

In white and stripes, Saturday,
5 yards for

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CHILDRENS GINGHAM DRESSES

To fit up to 12 years. Saturday

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In all the wanted colors, Sat-
urday, 5 yards for

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DRESS PRINTS

On Dollar Day we are selling
Dress Prints at 5 yards for

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CHILDRENS' FLEECE LINED SLEEPER SUITS

They fade away on Dollar Day
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In blue, brown and crimson, Sat-
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Splendid for Harvest wear, Sat-
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Strong Muleskin, Saturday, 2 prs.

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BOYS' SHIRTS

Saturday, each

\$1.00

MEN'S COLLARS

Linen, dressed, Saturday, 5 for

\$1.00

MEN'S SOFT COLLARS

Saturday, 3 for

\$1.00

BOYS' PYJAMAS AND NIGHTSHIRTS

Saturday, only

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CAN. COLONIZATION ASSOCIATION TO BRING SETTLERS TO THE WETASKIWIN DISTRICT

Johnson Miller Agencies are Local Agents

Local interest in the work of the
newly organized Canada Colonization
Association is awakened by the an-
nouncement made in Winnipeg this
week, that the Johnson-Miller Agen-
cies, the well known live wire land
men have been appointed the Assoc-
iation's local agent. The appointment
of this firm is a merited recognition
of their standing in this district and
of their knowledge of local conditions.

The Canada Colonization Associa-
tion has now over 200 experienced land
men working on a vigorous Canadian
campaign in different parts of the
United States, to cooperate with those,
on this side of the line, some 300 agents
are now being appointed. The Canada
Colonization Association is exercising
a general supervision over the agents
in the United States through its of-
fice at St. Paul, and by district and
state supervisors. The Association
conducts land seekers' excursions at
low rates twice a month to western
Canada and from reports received
from the United States' office it is
anticipated that there will be an ap-
preciable number visit the west this
fall. The association itself gets no
commission for this work. Its pur-
pose is solely to bring settler and
private owner of land into touch to aid
generally in the agricultural develop-
ment of the country.

The Johnson-Miller Agencies are an-
xious to obtain listings of unoccupied
farms for sale in their territory for

MUCH DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY HAIL

Stettler, Aug. 25.—A trip through
the district visited by hail Thursday
afternoon, reveals the fact that the
hail started in the Buffalo Lake dis-
trict, doing some damage to Mr.
Clark's crop. It then went southeast,
hitting crops more or less seriously,
at intervals all crossed the C.P.R.
track two and a half miles east of
Stettler. Here it did the most dam-
age, destroying part of Henry Martin's
grain, eighty acres of A. Shearer's
and Mr. Gibson's, and the crops of
G. Green, Henry Bauer, and damaging
others more or less until it got into
the Botha district.

Here the greatest damage of all was
done. Fields that would have aver-
aged over forty bushels per acre are
a mass of tangled straw, with the
ground covered with grain pounded
out of the heads, and the straw broken
and flattened to the ground, so that
it is a total loss. Fields of sun-
flowers stand with nothing but the
bare stalks left.

A. Tisdale, assistant to general man-
ager, western region, C.N.R.; Mr. P.
L. Naismith, natural resources dept.,
C.P.R., Calgary; Mr. W. D. Robb, vice
president, C.N.R., Montreal; Dr. W. J.
Black, secretary, dept. of immigration,
Ottawa; and Col. J. S. Dennis, chief
commissioner, colonization and de-
velopment, C.P.R., Montreal.

Farming conditions in the United
States are in a very bad way at pre-
sent and the appeal which low priced
lands in Canada makes, is felt likely
to revive interest in this country on
a large scale in the near future.

Gardens are pounded to pieces, cab-
bages and cauliflowers without a leaf
on them and the heads pounded up of
both.

School Shoes

For Boys and Girls

BOYS' BOOTS

Sizes 1 to 5½, at \$2.95 to \$4.95
Sizes 8 to 13½ at \$2.45 to \$3.95

GIRLS' BOOTS

Sizes 8 to 2 at \$2.65 to \$4.75

GROWING GIRLS' SHOES

Sizes 2½ to 8, at \$3.65 to \$5.45

MEN'S HARVESTER BOOTS, \$3.50

MEN'S HARVESTER GLOVES, \$1.00

MEN'S OVERALLS WITH BIB, \$2.25

All Good Clean Stock Here

WE SAVE YOU MONEY AT
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Capitol Cylinder Oil, 5 gallon Cans, each \$5.20
Capitol Cylinder Oil, ½ barrels, per gallon .. 86c
Gas Engine Oil, 5 gallon cans, each \$4.60
Gas Engine Oil, ½ barrels, per gallon 72c
Hard Oil, 25lb pails, each \$3.50
Hard Oil, 10lb pails, each \$1.60
Axle Grease, 25lb pails, each \$3.00
Axle Grease, 10lb pails, each \$1.40

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FOR SALE—3-months old Yorkshire pigs, \$15.00 per pair. J. P. Sny, Duhamel P.O. 24-3tn.

FOR SALE—Lady's bicycle in first class condition, Cleveland 1922 model, price very reasonable for immediate sale. Apply to Salvation Army Barracks, Wetaskiwin. 24-3tn.

FOR SALE—Anyone desiring to take up farming should see the quarter section I own near Wetaskiwin, which I will sell at twenty per cent of its real value for quick sale. Address O.X., Wetaskiwin P.O. 24-3tn.

FOR SALE—Hound Pups, from the very best of coyote killers. Parents are bred for this brush country, good runners, trailers and killers. Dog weighs 125 and kills alone. Write or see me at Chesterwood Geo. Pink. 23-3tn.

WILLOWNOOK FARM—For sale 320 acres, 5 miles north Wetaskiwin, fine location for dairy farm, about 40 acres in crop, crop goes with farm. Immediate possession; part cash, terms on balance. I have also 2 city lots on Courthouse Ave., next R. Hawkins residence cheap for cash, or will trade for cattle or hogs, fine residence location. B. E. Boyd, Wetaskiwin 23-3tn.

FOR SALE—Household goods, useful and ornamental; musical goods; mechanics' and farmers' tools; all priced to sell. J. H. Knight, Pearce St. W. Wetaskiwin. 22-4tn.

FOR SALE—registered Yorkshire boar, 1 year old; also a Sawyer massy separator, 22x36. Apply to Frank Lucas, phone 902, Wetaskiwin. 19-4tn.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Fully modern five-room house on Lorne St. West. Apply to R. C. Switzer, Wetaskiwin. 24-4tn.

TO LET—Light housekeeping room furnished, suitable for schoolgirl. Also have for sale new tennis racket, and man's cowboy outfit, complete at a bargain. Apply Phone 259, Wetaskiwin. 23-3tn.

Impounded

IMPOUNDED—On August 11, at the Emileskin Pound, Hobbema, one black mare, small white strip in forehead, wire cut on right hind leg, no visible brand, weight about 1200 lb. Sam Mind, Poundkeeper, Hobbema. 23-3tn.

Auctioneer

AUCTION—For satisfaction and service, get Mitchell the Auctioneer, Member A.A.A. Auction sales conducted anywhere. Phone 15, Millet.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE

FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

There will be sold by public auction on the lots next to

Geo. L. Owen's corner SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1923 at two o'clock sharp, the following: 3 Beds, Springs and Mattresses, 2 Dressers, 3 Commodes, 1 Toilet set, 1 Range, Kitchen Cabinet, Rugs, 2 Heating Stoves, Dining Room Table, 6 Dining Chairs, 6 Kitchen Chairs, Centre Table, 3 Rocking Chairs, Writing Desk, Bookcase, Brunswick Gramophone, Books, Picture Frames, Clock, Sofa, Sewing Machine, Ironing Board, Kitchen Table, Copper Boiler, Washboard, Tubs, Dishes, Stovepipes, Stairs, Tea Kettles, Pots, Pans and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—CASH HOWARD FEE—AUCTIONEER

A TELLER NEVER TELLS

"I want to know," said the gruff-faced woman, "how much money my husband drew out of the bank last week?" "I cannot give you that information, madam," answered the man in the cage. "You're the paying teller, aren't you?" "Yes, but not the telling payer."

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HOUSEKEEPER—At once for general housework on farm (no outside work). Good wages to right party. Phone Wetaskiwin 1104. 23-3tn.

Advertising to sell goods should not be merely letting people know that they exist; it should be telling them all about the goods.

JOHN KNOX U.F.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the John Knox U.F.A., will be held at the home of Mr. A. Hladik, on Tuesday evening, September 4th. Everybody is welcome.

Partial Eclipse of Sun In Canada On Sept. 10

There will be a total eclipse of the sun on September 10 next but it will be visible in Canada only as a partial eclipse. E. G. Hartsorn, official in charge of the Calgary branch of the Dominion meteorological bureau reports.

The official organ of the Royal Astronomical society of Canada gives the information that the eclipse will start in Calgary at 12:55 o'clock on the afternoon of September 10, and will end at 4:18 the same day. The total eclipse of the sun, which was not visible in Canada, was on March 16 and 17 of this year.

CHURCH CHIMES

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA Services on Sunday, Sept. 2nd, 1923. Springfield School, 10:30 a.m. Pipestone School, 1:30 p.m. West Liberty, 3:30 p.m. Millet, 7:30 p.m.

BAPTIST SERVICES

Rev. B. M. Meyer, of Wadena, Sask., will speak at the Nashville Baptist church at 11 a.m., at Crooked Lake school at 3 p.m., and at the Baptist church, Wetaskiwin, at 8 p.m. on Sunday next, Sept. 2.

FULL GOSPEL MISSION

Sunday school, 2 p.m. Adult Bible class at 3 p.m. Sunday night at 8 p.m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Young People's meeting, Friday, 8 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, Sept. 2nd—The pastor will preach at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. All cordially invited. Sunday school will be resumed at 2:30 p.m. W. H. Irwin, Pastor

SWEDISH MISSION

Sunday, Sept. 2—Malmö—The usual Sunday morning service will be held at 10:30. The pastor will preach. New Sweden—Sunday school at 11 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor at 8 o'clock in the evening.

SALVATION ARMY

Thursday, 8 p.m.—Salvation Meeting. Saturday, 8 p.m.—Open Air Meeting. Sunday—11 a.m.—Holiness Meeting. 3 p.m.—Sunday school. 8 p.m.—Great Salvation Meeting. U.R. heartily welcome.

Wetaskiwin Markets

August 29, 1923

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| No. 1 Northern | 35 |
| No. 2 Northern | 35 |
| No. 3 Northern | 73 |
| No. 4 Northern | 72 |
| Rye | 32 1/4 |
| Barley | 31 3/4 |
| Oats | 22 3/4 |
| Steers | 2.00 4.00 |
| Hogs | 2.00 3.00 |
| Sheep | 2.25 |
| Lambs | 5.00 |
| Eggs | 15 |
| Butter | 17 25 |
| Potatoes | 50 |

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister—Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D. Sunday, Sept. 2, Labor Sunday. 11 a.m.—"Life more Abundant." 7:30 p.m.—"The Problem of Equality." Regular services will be resumed with the minister in charge.

IMMANUEL CHURCH

Sunday, Sept. 2—Evening service, 7:30 p.m. Sunday school 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 9—A special flower service for children will be held at 11:30 a.m. Children are asked to bring cut flowers with them, which will afterwards be given to the sick and to the local hospital. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.

HILLSIDE

T. Bolt was a visitor to this district for a few days last week. Mrs. W. E. Pritchard and family, of Edmonton, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hoskins.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Marr and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey and daughter, were visitors at Pigeon Lake last week-end.

There was a fair attendance at the wheat pool meeting on Saturday last. This was held to make any further arrangements regarding the furthering of the interests of the pool. It was decided to send members to the Millet meeting to be held on Tuesday, also to the Bigstone meeting, so that they may assist if possible.

CHERRY GROVE

Miss Dorothy Switzer of Lacombe is visiting her cousin, Miss Adelaide Doupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Woolley and daughter of Springfield, Ontario, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold. It is expected that Harold Switzer, who has been employed at Lake Louise for several months, will return to the district on Sunday.

Miss Helen Switzer and Miss Adelaide and Mr. Goo. Doupe spent the week-end at Lacombe and Sylvan Lake.

The farmers of this district are all very busy with the harvest. The crop here is very heavy.

A coal strike seems imminent in the Red Deer valley and may be called within a few days on the question of discriminating against former employees on the part of the operators. Newcomers, say the miners' organization, are finding work while old timers are still jobless. The men say this is part of a campaign to weaken unionism and declare a shutdown will take place very shortly.

Snyder's Hardware

Thresher Supplies

GOODYEAR ENDLESS DRIVE BELTS
150 feet 8 in. by 5 ply, \$131.85
(Ply separation unknown)

Extra Heavy Polarine Oil at \$1.10 in barrels
Capitol Cylinder Oil, at \$4.90 for 4 gallons
Motor Gas Tablets — Makes Easy Starting
100 for \$1.00

RADIO DEMONSTRATION DAILY
12.30 p.m. to 1.00 p.m.
Saturday Evenings Also

Ross M. Snyder & Co.

HARDWARE MERCHANTS

The Star Store

School Opens Next Week

Get the Boys and Girls Prepared for it

LET THE STAR STORE OUTFIT THEM FROM HEAD TO FOOT. WE WERE NEVER BETTER EQUIPPED, BOTH AS TO GOODS AND PRICES.

For the Boys

BOYS' NEW TWEED SUITS

In blues, browns, greys and lovat, at \$8.75, \$12.00, \$13.50, \$15.00.

SCHOOL SHOES

Boys' solid leather School Shoes, \$2.65, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.95, \$4.50.

BOY'S STOCKINGS

Boys' Stockings, for hard, rough wear, All sizes. 35c, 50c, 75c.

BOYS' NEW TWEED CAPS

Boys' New Tweed Caps, latest styles, \$1.00.

BOYS' SILK KNITTED TIES

Boys' new Silk Knitted Ties, Special at 50c.

BOYS' SHIRTS

Boys' Shirts in light and dark colors, with collar attached and with separate collars, \$1.00, \$1.25

BOYS' BLOUSES

Boys' Blouses, in light and dark effects, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50.

BOYS' KNICKERS

Boys' strong wearing knicker pants. A leader at \$1.95.

For the Girls

GIRLS' SERVICEABLE COTTON HOSE

Sizes 4 1/2 to 10. The little miss will need a few pairs of these durable hose to begin school with. Our "Radiant" hose gives excellent satisfaction. We have both brown and black in all sizes. Price, 35c, pair, or 3 pairs for \$1.00.

CHILDREN'S HEATHER KNICKER HOSE

Children's fancy heather knicker hose, in Cordovan and green mixtures, sizes 9, 9 1/2, 10, with fancy isle finish. Regular \$1.00 pair, at 75c pair.

NAVY BLUE WOOLEN SERGE FOR CHILDREN'S SCHOOL DRESSES

Navy blue, pure wool, thoroughly shrunk, indigo dye, 40 inches wide. Price per yard, \$1.25.

LADIES' LATEST PRINTED SILK BLOUSE LENGTHS

Printed in latest King Tut patterns and Japanese wood scenes, 36 inches wide, at \$4.50 per yard.

Preserving Fruit

The preserving season is now on Bartlett Pears, Freestone Peaches, Plums, Prunes, Crabapples are now arriving. The first receipts are generally the best. Let us have your order.

Montgomery Brothers, Ltd.

PHONE 10

DRY GOODS AND OFFICE PHONE 18

6th Annual Paramount WEEK

Wetaskiwin Joins In The National Demonstration

With Paramount Week the greatest motion picture season the world has ever seen gets under way.

Paramount week offers the opportunity for a grand review of 1923's achievements and a forecast of the great Paramount Pictures coming. Celebrate Paramount Week at your own theatre as millions have celebrated it during five previous annual Paramount Weeks.

"It's Paramount Week at your theatre now!"

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THE MILLS OF GOD.

For the third time that morning Hal Strathmore entered his father's office ostensibly on business, but really to see if Nora Towers, his father's private secretary, was there.

"Where is Nora today?"

"I don't know. She resigned her position last night—saying she was going home for a time. Gave no reason."

"Gone!—I don't understand—... May I ask you—did you dismiss her?"

"Yes, I did, because—"

"Because what?"

"Do I need to tell you, Hal? I have spoken to you half a dozen times of your infatuation. I have other plans

for you. A marriage with Kathleen Tentire will unite these two firms and give you a most enviable place in both the social and business world."

A dark shadow crossed the usually happy features of the younger man. "Dad's position and society. You know that I do not care for these things. The only position I crave is to be of service to my fellow men—even the employees of your plant. Kathleen and I would be a sad misfit. She is a society girl. I feel it. She would have been better if you had talked to me before you took this step."

"I have talked to you until I am tired. Now I shall see what other tactics will accomplish."

"Very well, if that is your line, and you put up a challenge, we'll see who wins."

"There is no doubt of who will win unless you desire to give up everything."

Hal ground his heels into the floor—looked at his watch, and strode from the room. Walking briskly, absorbed in his mind, he came suddenly to face with the object of his thoughts.

"Nora, I thought you had gone home. I am so glad to meet you. You see I know it all now. Promise you will not go until you see me again."

"I did not intend going until this afternoon, but I ran across our old friend, Dr. Graves, of the Children's Aid department. Of course, I told him the whole thing. His stenographer is ill, and he is fearfully behind with his work, so I have promised to give him a hand for a month. I am on my way there now."

"Good, I'll be around this evening with the car, for I must talk to you."

Meanwhile Strathmore senior paced the floor of his office, and aloud he uttered his thoughts: "I never dreamed the thing had gone this far. But I've started, and it's not in the nature of James Strathmore to defect from his purpose. My persistence has made this business—Hal has all my characteristics in this line, but it is perverted—"

Weeks had passed into months, and Nora was still at the office of her friend.

"Will you please go to the files of the year—and look up the adoption of a child by the name of Lena Irving. It's a case in court, and they want the facts. Some property affair," said Mr. Graves.

As she turned the leaves she paused—the color faded from her cheeks—quickly taking the pencil she copied something from the records and placed safely in her dress.

That evening Hal could not understand what was the matter. She was silent. The result of this made him renew the matter with his father the next day.

"Hal, never mention that girl's name to me again. She has caused me enough worry. I do not want to hear her again spoken of."

A ring at the door Nora's apartment.

IMPOSSIBLE TO GET RELIEF

Until She Started To Take "Fruit-a-lives"

The Medicine Made From Fruit

R.R. No. 1, Everett, Ont.

"I had been troubled for years with Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney Trouble, and could not get relief until I started taking 'Fruit-a-lives'. Thanks to their beneficial action, I am in normal health again."

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some days later at first brought terror to her heart. It was Mr. James Strathmore.

"Needless to say, you are evidently surprised to see me here, but only be reasonable, and my business will soon be over. I know it is unusual for a man in my position to call on his late stenographer. Stories might be set afloat that might reflect on my untarnished reputation, but I am willing to risk all to save my son from what I deem youthful folly."

Nora stood quietly before him. No change of color gave hint of what was rushing through her mind. Her hour of revenge had come. A fearful silence ensued. Stopping to think, she drew forth a slip of paper and handed it to Strathmore. For a moment his eyes fell looking at her with a cynical smile, he said: "Well, what are you going to do about it, now?"

"That is my secret. One thing I do know, you are ever going to look Kathleen Tentire on Hal. Nor shall your untarnished reputation go unscathed. I'm nothing—nobody, so beware!"

"One thing further I want to know. Did you know who I was all those years? I was in your office. Swear!"

"I swear to you I did not know. It was a thing of the past—a forgotten dream."

Clasping her hands against her breast, she cried: "A thing of the past? A forgotten dream? I am Nora, and could I do so, I would drain from my veins every drop of blood that speaks of you."

Strathmore stepped toward the entrance of the room, and as he touched the door to open it, he turned, with a sneering expression on his face. "One thing has been accomplished. You know now that you and Hal can never marry. You are brother and sister."

Silently as a snake he left the room, watching Nora closely as he went.

The following evening Hal spent with Nora, trying to draw her out of her strange reticence. At last he got the whole story, and the girl crumpled up like a wilted flower by his side.

"Surely there must be a way out. There must be, Nora—I remember—but wait, I feel sure there is a way out."

Instead of going home, Hal walked rapidly to the great plant of Strathmore & Son. He passed into his father's office, stopped down and passed his hands carefully over the desk, all the while pressing here and there.

Years before, he had been in the office and had seen his parent suddenly open a little hole and asking what it was, had been told it was a "fairly hole" that contained a great secret, which some day he might hear.

"Strange," said Hal, as he continued to pass his hands over the desk. "Strange," he said aloud. "In my dream that panel seemed to move as if I were a snake. I wonder if it was a real thing, or have I only dreamed it?"

Suddenly there was a click, and to his astonishment the opening was revealed. Inside was a document, dated covered. Evidently for years, perhaps since the day of his action, it had never been disturbed. Putting it in his pocket, he turned the key in the door and returned to his home, but not to sleep.

While Hal and Nora were deep in conversation the next day, events were developing at the office of Burdette, Burdette & Clarke.

"Good morning, Mr. Strathmore. More legal business? These are hard times for the employers."

"Oh, it's not that. I only wish it were." Then, explaining as rapidly as possible the state of affairs regarding the two concerned, Nora and Hal, and his own worries over it, he said: "You can readily see that legally, Hal cannot marry her. It's against all civil and moral law. I'll stop it even at the marriage altar."

"Send the boy to me, Strathmore, and let's see if I can get him to see things in a right light."

"You will not tell him of the rela-

tionship, yet?"

"Oh, no, leave that to me. I think I can handle the situation. Of course there will be no trouble with the girl. Women are too conscientious to risk such a marriage. Besides a fear of prison walls will doubt find that. I'll try Hal first, and if that fails, then we must work from the girl's side of it. By the way, did you say she had a written copy of this declaration of her mother's, just before her death?"

"Yes, she has, confound it all. I never dreamed that could be unearthed. I am beginning to believe that there is a retribution, not in the here but in the now."

Not heeding his remarks, Burdette continued. "You say also that she has the proof that you supported the mother for two years after her birth, in fact, till she died, when she, herself was only two and a half years old?"

"Strathmore nodded, but as a really troubled look crossed his face."

"That's bad," said Burdette, "but we will see what can be done. The case is not hopeless." Then, as the door closed, "A deuce of a mess! Regular spiderweb, and the old chap rattle. I fear, Ah, well, the first he put into the mill has been slow in grinding—but it's grinding."

Later in the day found Hal seated in the office of Mr. Burdette.

"Well, Hal, I wanted to see you to have a talk. Your father has been in here, and he has his heart set on you marrying Kathleen Tentire, thus uniting the two great industries. He's dead set against your little affair with Miss Towers, his late stenographer. He's been awfully decent to you, and I'd like to help right matters if I can. Besides, she's not in your class."

"Oh, how class? Look at this!" and he handed Burdette a paper.

"I see, I see. But, Hal, the purpose of this absolutely prohibits your marriage—the relationship. It's a serious matter to defy both the laws of God and man."

"Will you please glance over this!" said Hal, handing him a document he drew from his pocket.

"So this is the crux of the situation," said Burdette. "May I ask where did you get it? Does your father know of you, having it?"

"No, he doesn't," replied Hal. "Nor will he, until I choose to tell."

The rays of the setting sun proclaimed the close of the day as Mr. Strathmore touched the buzzer.

"Tell Hal I want to see him," he ordered.

Hal entered his father's office.

"You saw Burdette."

"Yes, father."

"I want to know what decision you have come to. Do you still intend to ruin your career by marrying Nora Towers?"

"Yes, I do."

"Then I must take steps to prevent it. You shall never marry her. Have you talked with Burdette?"

"Yes, I did."

"It makes no difference to me."

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Carleton, Alta., Aug. 27.—The million dollar Mormon temple here was dedicated yesterday, Elder H. J. Grant of Salt Lake City, prophet and president of the church, officiating in the presence of more than five hundred of the pioneers from Cache Valley, Utah, and prominent officials of the church in Canada and their wives.

The weather was warm and bright, and this little Mormon city of two thousand people, founded in 1887 by Charles O. Card and the original band of pioneers from Cache Valley, Utah, was thronged with the faithful from all sections of the inter-mountain region as well as from distant parts of Canada and the eastern and middle states.

Great significance attaches to this dedication, marking as it does the formal opening for church ordinance work of this first temple to be built outside of the United States.

Andrew Jensen, church historian, made a record of the opening service depicted in the archives of the church. President Grant, of the Canadian Mission, Toronto, will not arrive until Tuesday.

The feature of the opening service, held in the celestial and terrestrial rooms of the temple, resplendent in its decorations, golden rays, heavy imported carpets and rich purple drapings, was the dedicatory prayer, pronounced by President Grant. It was a solemn moment when the head of the half million Mormon adherents humbly knelt before the altar on which lay the Holy Bible and uttered the prayer that gave the edifice to God, that blessed and consecrated it to the worship of the Lord; that invoked Divine blessing on the nation of Great Britain and on all the peoples of the earth, upon Canada as a chosen commonwealth, upon the Jews that they might gather to the land of their fathers, on the Indians also mentioned as a branch of the House of Israel, on the land that it might be fruitful, and on the Latter Day Saints that they might be blessed temporally and spiritually.

CAUGHT WITH

BOOZE IN CAR

Not being able to resist the temptation of displaying a young lad a crack on the chin for hitting what he probably considered an undue curiosity led to a somewhat costly experience for Charles Labrie, an Edmonton taxi driver, who was arrested in town on Wednesday morning by Constable Rawson and fined \$10 and costs for being drunk, and \$100 and costs for being in possession of liquor, the trial taking place before Police Magistrate Williams the same afternoon. Labrie with some companions and a load of booze had pulled into the park early Wednesday morning with one of those dreadful 1924 Modelings and with the brakes on all four wheels, but in driving over a ditch in the park the car was damaged to such an extent that he was unable to continue his journey. His companions, who are now being sought by the police hired a local taxi and proceeded to Edmonton. Labrie remained in Leduc and it was while some boys were looking the new car over that he resented the curiosity and struck Tommy Robertson. This action on the part of Labrie aroused the suspicions of the boys and matter being reported to the Constable Rawson he placed Labrie under arrest and confiscated the liquor—Representative.

GET GOLD ON SUNKEN

SHIP OFF DONEGAL

London, Aug. 27.—All except a few bars of the thirty million dollars' worth of gold bullion which dropped to the ocean bed when the Lusitania sank the Lusitania off Donegal, Ireland, have been recovered by divers, who since 1918 have been carrying on their labors ninety feet below the surface of the sea. The bars remaining in the wreck it is expected will be brought up within a fortnight. In addition to the gold, which was consigned to United States bankers the Lusitania was laden with a most five million dollars in silver specie mostly in two shilling pieces, all of which has been salvaged by the divers. The men have been using a diving spear with a dial attached that shows whether the spear point is touching gold or a base metal such as iron. The apparatus was brought to the attention of the admiralty in 1920 by a college professor.

Previous to that time the divers in three years of labor had recovered 668 bars, but since the galvanometer was brought into use more than 2,100 have been brought to the top, each bar being worth from \$5,000 to \$5,000, according to the standard of the gold and the size of the bar.

Montana Paper Boosts

Alberta's Oil Fields

The great possibilities of the Alberta oil fields have in the past been endorsed by such eminent petroleum geologists as E. H. Cunningham Craig, and Dr. J. Bosworth, of London, England, who thoroughly examined the field in 1914 and more recently by local experts such as Julian Hickok, T. B. Stephens and S. E. Slinger, late of the Dominion Geological Survey, all of Calgary, who have an intimate knowledge of the field, having covered it for a long period of years. And now comes C. C. Coulter, the pioneer geologist of many producing fields in the United States, who predicts that Alberta will be the largest producing oil field in time in the world. Mr. Coulter, with several expert assistants, is now making a thorough survey of the whole Alberta field in the interests, so it is said, of one of the largest oil corporations in the world.

Walter Noble Burns, writing in the Wall Street Magazine, says that the Alberta oil fields threaten to rival all of the great oil fields of the world combined. He says that is the discovery of oil proves up to the expectations of the expert geologists, based on a careful investigation, that the oil deposits of Pennsylvania, Oklahoma or Tampico will seem like bubbling springs beside a geyser.

The Financial Times in a recent issue, points out that the Alberta oil fields are now due for full development and that the chances to make immense fortunes were never more in evidence at any time in any field in the world.

A consensus of opinion of leading financial men and of the ablest and best known oil technologists and experts in Great Britain, the United States and Canada, is that the future of Alberta as one of the great petroleum producing districts of the world is now beyond doubt.

All the evidence points to all being found in many localities in Alberta, from the international boundary to the extreme northern limit of the province and from the British Columbia line to Saskatchewan. There is no doubt whatever about the certainty of bringing in a large number of producing oil wells in the Turner Valley structure and other anticlines in the same locality with highly profitable results.

Based upon the results already obtained in the Calgary field, with its six producing wells, giving an approximate output of ten million cubic feet of wet gas per day, with a possible production of one gallon of gasoline per thousand cubic feet of gas, which gives 10,000 gallons or 250 barrels of high grade gasoline per day, it can readily be seen what the financial results will be when the whole field is developed.

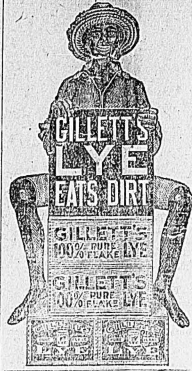
Presuming that the oil producing Turner valley anticline with the adjacent structure, is narrowed down to 30 square miles and that a producing well should be brought in on each quarter section of 160 acres of land, giving the same average output as that of the six producing wells already mentioned, there would be 120 wells giving out 200,000,000 cubic feet of gas and 200,000 gallons or 5,000 barrels of high grade gasoline per day. If this oil sold for 30 cents per gallon and the gas for 13 cents per 1000 cu. ft., the daily income from this field alone would be \$112,000 or over \$40,000,000 per year, a stupendous and most satisfying financial result. If a producing well should be brought in on each legal subdivision of 40 acres over the same area, the calculated income would be four times that above estimated.

The above figures are within the realm of the possibilities and may be much under estimated, but on the whole they should show what wonderful possibilities exist in the Calgary field.

Although public interest has somewhat cooled since the flurry in Alberta a few years ago the quest for petroleum has not at all abated. At the present time exploration is being carried on in a very extensive and comprehensive way by private companies and the big interests.

When it is considered that there are strong indications that the greatest subterranean reservoir of petroleum in the world lies undiscovered in the Canadian west, the persistent efforts to locate this reservoir are not hard to understand.

The stakes are tremendous. If the vast oil bed is found it will be a source of wealth which will rival the gold fields of the Rand or Klondike or the diamond mines of Kimberley.



The science of geology in its relation to oil fields has progressed so far that less effort is being wasted in testing barren territory than formerly, and the resources of the industry and other speculative capital will be centered more and more upon the exploration and development of such territory as affords more promising possibilities to the prospector and to the capitalist.

For years past the discoveries of oil have been gradually pushing northward from the Gulf of Mexico to and beyond the Arctic circle. From Texas to Oklahoma, thence to Wyoming, to Montana, and now Alberta is again sharing attention of prospectors, promoters and capitalists as one of the most promising fields on earth—Montana Oil Journal.

BODY IS BELIEVED THAT OF A PATIENT OF PONOKA ASYLUM

Ponoka, Aug. 26.—A middle-aged man, believed by the police to be one of the trio of patients who escaped from the Ponoka asylum four days ago, was found in the Battle river, a few hundred yards south of Ponoka yesterday morning, with a gash in the forehead. The body had been in the water several days and the only way it could be identified was by an asylum mark on it.

THE RIGHT PLACE

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grace on my fair name?"

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"You would marry an illegitimate girl? My son never shall. I shall have his name erased from the firm tomorrow."

"That is not her fault, father, if she is what you say."

"If this is all the gratitude I am to expect from you, Hal, I must enlighten you further."

Turning to his desk, he pressed the pencil, which opened at his slightest touch. A look of amazement overcame his face. Springing up as he faced Hal, only to see in his hands the document of which he was in search.

"Wilful, I know you are, but I did not dream I harbored a sneak."

Hal clenched his fist, his face flushed. Then, remembering, he slowly let his arm fall by his side, saying:

"Father, years ago, you opened that drawer and put in it a folded paper. I was interested in seeing the panel slide. In answer to my childish question, you said: 'There is a great secret in there that some day you may know. It was you who put up the challenge in this game. I accepted it. All's fair in love and war.' Are you satisfied with the results?"

"Hal, I demand that paper. It is not yours. You'll suffer for your arrogance."

Hal obeyed instantly saying: "It is of no use now as a secret. It has been duly copied and witnessed. I know, as you know, and so does Nora, that I am your adopted son, the son of an old friend who was killed in a railway accident. More—Nora and I are to be married this evening in the cathedral. Will you come to the wedding? I suppose by rights I should ask the hand of your daughter first. I thank you for my training and for my education. It means much to me. I choose, I may take over the management of the 'Temple' interest first of the month. What do you say?"

Strathmore, shaken as if by some mighty force, sank into his chair, and sat with bowed head for a moment. Then by a supreme effort, faced Hal, put out his hand and clasped his son's shoulder in his hand, saying: "Hal forgive me and go—ask Nora if she ever can."

PRINCE OF WALES TO DO SHOOTING WHILE IN CANADA

London, Aug. 27.—The Prince of Wales, it is understood, intends to do some shooting while in Canada next month. No announcement has been made as to his itinerary when not at his ranch in Alberta. The Prince is now visiting in Scotland.



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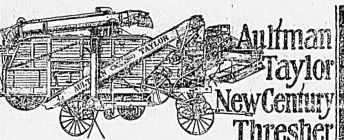
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MILLET

Mrs. Eastwood has sold her house to Mrs. Smith and is having an auction on Saturday of her furniture and effects.

At the present time the Pigeon Lake road from Millet is in excellent condition. A lot has been said about it and lately a lot has been done.

Percy Atkins has just finished build-

ing a very pretty bungalow on his farm south of Millet. Percy, what does this mean. You might tell a fellow when it is going to happen. Millet School Fair takes place on Thursday, September 13th. Millet is soon to have a fox farm. The Chief of Police of Millet wishes it understood that he is not catching dogs, and if he was he would not have the time to worry about the early

closing, and that he figures it is not polite for people to call him the Dog Catcher. He couldn't catch a dog if he had to.

Millet School Fair

Great preparations are being made for Millet's second annual School Fair. Over \$420.00 in prizes will be paid out. Fourteen schools have entered to date. In practically every class there will be nine prizes given. In the best Hand-Polish class there will be ten prizes. Owing to the Agricultural Society not having a fair this year, the Mitchell Cup and prize of \$25.00 has, by consent of the donor, been transferred to the school fair, and this will make the first prize of the ten prizes in the hand-painted class. The following schools will compete at the fair—Hillside, Larch Tree, West Liberty, Portobella, Pipestone, Bonnie Glen, Springhill, Wone, Millet, Coal Lake, Sparling, Hay Lakes, Welsenthal and Hay Lake.

There will be a big parade, and prizes will be given for the best decorated vehicle. This will include your car, hay rack, buggy, wagon, or practically anything that runs on wheels. Of course there will be a big dance at night at Pinyon's hall, a first class orchestra has been engaged.

A list of all prizes will be ready in a few days and can be had by applying to H. C. Cooke or A. P. Mitchell, Millet. Children will be able to get list from their teacher.

Prizes will be given for the following—vegetables, flowers, sheep exhibits, grains, sunflower, weed collections, calves, foals, pigs, beef calves, bacon type hogs,lard type hogs, poultry, lambs, haking, bread, home made candy, canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned meat and chicken, sewing and school work of all kinds. Get the list and you will find a prize for nearly everything. No trouble or expense is being spared to make the fair a success and the committee would appreciate the co-operation of every parent in the Millet district.

TOWN TOPICS

J. E. Fraser is spending a few days' vacation with his family at Gull Lake.

The exterior of Angus Theatre is being greatly improved by a coat of paint.

The last weekly half holiday of the season terminated on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Short left a few days ago for Washington where they will make their future home.

The Scandinavian Hospital Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. N. J. L. Bergen on Tuesday afternoon next at 3.30.

The hospital Aid Society will meet at the nurses' parlor, on Tuesday afternoon next, Sept. 4th. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. J. C. McKay and daughter, who spent about three weeks at the coast, returned home on Saturday evening. They report having had a delightful holiday.

The Norwegian Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. O. E. Olson (4 miles south of town), on Friday, August, 31, at 2.30 p.m. You are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Cora Sparks, who is a teacher in one of the junior high schools in Kansas, was visiting her brother, E. E. Sparks, M.L.A., last week. She left Monday morning to resume her duties.

Dr. Sutherland has leased the Knight property, corner of Pearce and Alberta streets, and will take possession in a week or so—just as soon as Mr. Knight and family leave on their trip to California.

Mrs. W. G. Dietz was at home on Friday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Hickson and Miss Pratt of Ontario. About twenty were present and five hundred was played. The prize was won by Mrs. Lawson.

Thursday evening last the district east and north of Wetaskiwin was visited by one of the heaviest rains of the season. It is reported that nearly an inch of water fell at Crooked Lake during the storm.

The annual conference of the Women's Institutes in the Wetaskiwin constituency will be held at Wetaskiwin on September 14. Mrs. Hayek, district director, will be present to address the meeting and it is hoped all institute members will plan to be present.

Harvesting is now on in real earnest, and the farmers are reporting very heavy yields. The growth is so heavy in many of the fields that the crop is down. The weather is ideal, and it now appears as though the harvest is assured.

Mr. and Mrs. Muncester and Mrs. Griffin left on Wednesday for a short holiday to be spent at Banff and Lake Louise, following which they will take up their residence at Wetaskiwin, where Mr. Muncester has accepted a position on the staff of the high school—Fort Saskatchewan Record.

A communication from J. H. Hodson on the prohibition question has been unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

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E. E. Sparks, M.L.A., has been holding meetings every evening this week in the western part of his constituency explaining the wheat pool and having contracts signed. The reports are that the meetings are very successful, and it is expected that the farmers of the Wetaskiwin district will have their quota of signatures when the campaign is terminated.

John Olson, of Canoe B.C., arrived in the city the first part of the week to look after his business interests in the district and to renew the acquaintance of his many friends. He reports that there is a very large fruit crop in the Okanagan valley this year, and the growers are experiencing difficulty in disposing of the crop. Tons of fruit are rotting on the trees.

W. J. McGrandle, of the Airdrome, High River, has been in the city for a week visiting with relatives and friends. He was accompanied by Mrs. McGrandle and family who have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Higginson, and other relatives and friends for the past two months. They returned to their home at High River on Friday.

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